

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ANNOUNCING AND TRANSMITTING LINKED  
SHORT MESSAGES**

Abstract

A4 The invention relates to a system and method for announcing and transmitting linked short messages (SMS), preferably in the GSM or UMTS mobile radio system, between a service provider and a mobile radio device. Prior to the transmission of at least two linked short messages to the mobile radio device, the maximum possible memory capacity in the mobile radio device is checked, and the short message is sent in its entirety only after it has been determined that sufficient memory space is available.

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